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Dear Sir:

Applicant provides with regard to the patent application entitled METHOD FOR TREATING THYROID DISORDERS, serial number 09/504,538, filed February 15, 2000, one copy of additional documents of which he is aware, which may be material to the examination of this application, and in respect of which there may be a duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. section 1.56. A listing of the documents submitted is set forth on the attached 1 page Information Disclosure Citation (Form PTO-1449).

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	AA	5,437,291	8/1/1995	Pasricha et al			
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	BA	99/03483	1/28/1999	WO			
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